

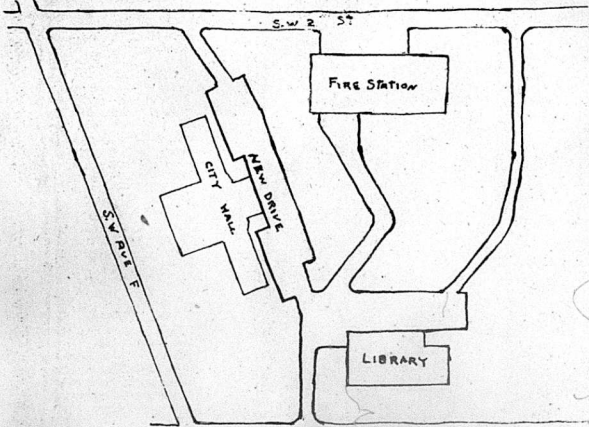
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City hall address contest begun

BELLE GLADE—Residents of Belle Glade will have a chance over the next two weeks to provide input on what they think the address of the new city hall should be.

The City Commission decided during a workshop session Tuesday evening they want some input on naming the circular roadway which will connect all the buildings in the civic complex in McDonald Park in the near future.

At the suggestion of Commissioner Kenneth Harris, a two-week contest on the naming of the drive will be held, beginning immediately and ending Dec. 23, with the winner claiming a \$20 savings bond and a plaque commemorating their contribution to the complex.

City Manager Robert R. Sanders told the commissioners they had several alternatives in coming up with an address but one of the difficulties facing them is that the city hall, which is supposed to be occupied about the first of January, is facing away from Southwest Avenue E. The address of the city hall annex now housing Sanders and his immediate staff, or come up with an address on Southwest Second Street.

Commissioner Ralph Kirk said he favored 10 McDonald Drive as an address for the new city headquarters but Mayor Tom Altman and Commissioner William Grear

expressed strong opposition to a suggestion to change the name of

the entire area from McDonald to see CONTEST P7

No-armed bandits return

BELLE GLADE—Downtown shoppers who have been traditionally parking their cars on Main Street, Fourth Street and Avenues A and B may find a holiday surprise Monday if they don't feed those "no-armed bandits" standing at attention along the sidewalks.

City Manager Robert R. Sanders said that beginning Monday, the City Police Department will have a walking officer patrolling the downtown area ticketing cars parked at parking meters which show violations. "We already have a man on board," Police Chief Bill Mathis said, "and he'll start handing out tickets Monday

morning." Mathis said the tickets will cost offenders 50 cents if they're paid within 24 hours, \$1 if paid the second day after being written, \$5 the third day and a summons would be written if three days go by without the ticket being paid.

The meters have traditionally been enforced during the harvest season in an effort to free up parking spaces downtown during the heavy shopping months but Sanders said he is working now on the theory that they will be enforced, "from now on," and will continue to be enforced during the summer months.

201 plan may cost Glades \$14 million

BELLE GLADE—Engineers presented 13 possible plans last week by which the residents of western Palm Beach County can get rid of their waste water but the bottom line was that it would take at least five years to put any one of them to work and would cost a minimum of \$14 million at today's prices.

The announcement came at the fifth meeting of the Glades 201 Committee and engineers told the committee members, representing Belle Glade, South Bay and Pahokee, there was little separating the first six alternatives in cost and all six recommended land spreading or deep well injection of effluent from sewage treatment plants.

The 201 Plan deals with the waste water coming through the three treatment plants operated by the three cities and by the year 2000, the amount is expected to reach 6.4 million gallons per day for all three cities.

To get rid of the effluent by land spreading, Kenneth Schenck of Russell and Axon Engineers estimated a total of 1,300 acres of land would be needed, along with a sealed holding pond which could hold a minimum of 20 and as much as 60 days worth of effluent from the three plants. If the pond were one foot deep, that translates to a pond one mile square.

Schenck also pointed out that there is no data available about spreading treated waste water on organic soils and there would have to be other studies made, including the effect the runoff would have on canals in the area.

He said he had talked to officials at the South Florida Water Management District about whether the effluent could be released into the canals and had been told it probably would be permitted.

"But we're going to have to prove that before dropping land-spreading," he told the representatives of the three cities, "especi-

ally since that's what the EPA (Environmental Protection Agency) is pushing this week. Last week, it was deep well injection but this week it's land-spreading."

The City of Belle Glade has begun the procedures for testing land spraying on an experimental basis on property north of the Belle Glade Airport but until data is gathered from that or some other source, no one knows what the effects would be.

Schenck said there is a strong possibility the procedures for testing land spraying on an experimental basis on property north of the Belle Glade Airport but until data is gathered from that or some other source, no one knows what the effects would be.

He also stressed that if the land spraying were to be attempted on sugar cane land, the spraying would be prohibited at least 60 days during the year instead of the 20 days which would be required if the land were also used to grow crops of hay instead of cane.

Schenck said there isn't much difference in the plans offered to land-spread the effluent compared to drilling deep wells so far as price goes but there could be some difference in the time required to make the studies and put the plans into operation.

Belle Glade City Planner John Gubisch III said he felt the time difference is going to be critical, indicating it would take less time to set up a deep well injection program than the land-spraying alternatives.

In another report, Jeff Rehault of Barker, Osha and Anderson Engineers told the city representatives their major problem, as they already know, was infiltration.

Saying he had conducted studies of both the Belle Glade and South Bay sewer collection systems, he said "they do pretty good job as storm drains. Unfortunately, that isn't what they were designed for."

Rehault also said, however, that many of the infiltration points in the two cities have been isolated and the situation is improving.

Alcohol center may lose home Jan. 1

SOUTH BAY—An Alcohol Rehabilitation Center which has served more than 1,200 clients during the

three years it has been in operation in Western Palm Beach County may find itself without a

home on Jan. 1.

Ed Amos, who directs the center for the Florida Farmworkers Council, Inc. said the program is facing an emergency following notification by the landlords, Rudolph and Vernita Cox, that they are to vacate the premises no later than Dec. 31.

Amos said he has been talking about the possibility of being evicted with Mr. and Mrs. Cox for some time now but the notice to vacate was officially delivered the day before Thanksgiving. Mrs. Cox is planning, he said, to operate a congregate living facility in the building.

"I've enlisted the aid of three local Realtors and they've been a big help," Amos said, "but we haven't found anything yet. This set of events leaves the Alcohol Program without a facility to operate its Primary Care Center-Detoxification Unit with ten beds and its 20 bed Residential Program."

This turn of events is very serious for the future of the Alcohol Program," he said. "Without a facility to house these needed services, the Alcohol Program stands to lose its federal and perhaps its state and county funding."

He said the program was recently funded for an additional three year period but said there is a danger the bureaucrats who hand out the funds could reason that since there is no facility now, there is no need for one.

The facility serves the entire Glades area and Amos said he has been looking into the possibility of additional housing at the Sunset Heights Nursing Home in Belle Glade given that facility is vacant in 1978 but that is almost a full

see ALCOHOL-P7



GIMME FIVE was the word last week when Peter, the Chimp, shook hands with all takers at the Okeechobee Center Day Care Center. Peter and his friend, Kathy McPhee were two of the six visitors at the center from Lion Country Safari who got acquainted with the kids and staff members last Thursday. Also making friends, as well as terrifying a few others, were Samantha, a ten-pound boa constrictor, and Hutch, a ferret, along with Holly Duffy and Kathy Platen.

Christmas contest announced

BELLE GLADE—The Chamber of Commerce announced this week the rules for the 11th Annual Christmas Home and Business Decorating Contest which is co-sponsored by the Belle Glade Garden Clubs.

There will be four categories again this year with first, second and third place prize ribbons in each category.

"Due to the inflated cost of electricity," Executive Secretary Jewel Crane said, "the winners will not be judged solely on the Christmas lighting but will be judged on artistic ability and originality. There is no entry fee."

The four categories include Best Overall Religious, Best Overall Non-Religious, Best Overall Business and Most Original.

Anyone interested in participating can register by calling the Belle Glade Chamber of Commerce at 996-2745 or 996-2252. The deadline for all entries will be 5 p.m. Sunday, Dec. 20. Judging will be done again by representatives of the garden clubs from 2 to 5 p.m. Dec. 21.

The joint sponsors for the contest are the Belle Glade Chamber of Commerce, the Belle Glade Garden Club, the Chosen Garden Club and the Garden Study Club.



The Herald and the Chamber of Commerce urge you to Shop at Home this Christmas

Santa Sez...

This year, shop in the Glades for Christmas

You'll save money and help your community, too!

Check the ads inside for Christmas bargains first!

Gartner arrested

WEST PALM BEACH—Former Belle Glade Community Development Director George Gartner turned himself in Tuesday afternoon to the Palm Beach County Sheriff's office here and was arrested on a charge of larceny by fraud, allegedly paying in excess of \$10,000 for a bogus energy report while still employed with the city.

Gartner, who resigned his Belle Glade post in June to accept his present position as Community Development and Housing Director, is being charged with using Belle Glade CD funds to pay for a non-existent report performed by his own dummy company according to Palm Beach County State Attorney David Bludworth. Belle Glade City Manager Rob-

ert R. Sanders said in a press conference last week the investigation was begun about a month ago by the city when irregularities were noticed in purchasing by Community Development while Gartner was still director.

Sanders said he carried the investigation on until he decided it should be turned over to Bludworth's office and at that time, he had uncovered up to that point.

Bludworth said Tuesday, before Gartner turned himself in, the charges had been filed and his [Bludworth's] office was continuing the investigation on behalf of the city. The larceny charge is a second degree felony and carries a maximum sentence of 15 years in prison.



The basic problem with the ecology movement is the number of instant experts that inhabit its tanks.

Just like Jack Maloy, director of the South Florida Water Management District said the other day, "Since I first heard the term 'eutrophication,' I've done a lot of ailing."

Jack was directing his comments to 20 members of the Florida Legislature and almost an equal number of reporters during the Legislative Appreciation Day and Four sponsored by the Florida Sugar Cane League and various other food producers.

Jack occupies a position that has become the constant target of these instant experts, who know all about eutrophication, the hazards of drainage, water tables, and wildlife.

He's dealt with these problems since the late 1950s and is aware of them and others not from a narrow framework, but through a water system and ecology that spans all of South Florida.

The word "eutrophication" deals with the slow, natural aging process of a body of water. First, there is pristine lake, which develops into a mature, fish-filled environment, then into marsh, and finally into dry land.

And thank heavens Lake Okechobee is eutrophic. Without that state of richness, it couldn't support the almost endless variety of fish and plants that inhabit it.

The fact that it's eutrophic isn't new. Like George Wedgworth said, carbon dating indicates the lake was eutrophic 4,000 years ago.

A great deal of information has been released on Okechobee and its "dying" state by many people who really shouldn't be opening their mouths. Not now, at least.

But in fact, these folks have a lot of whopl with people who make the laws. Get any hand of voters together and you can see a politician do just about what they want him to do.

That's why this particular panel discussion was so good. It made one central point and made it very, very clearly. "Before making legislative decisions, get all the information you can and make sure the decision is a sound one."

Errors have been made in South Florida. But on both sides. And the chances are, more errors will be made in the future. But we can minimize them by learning the answers to questions our grandchildren won't have to face harshly 30 years down the road.

There are those who insist all backpumping from the agricultural areas of the Everglades into Lake Okechobee must be halted. But if this is done, what are the consequences? We must find out and weigh the information before making a decision that hard.

Many say the "improvements" made to the Kissimmee were a mistake and must be corrected. The only way to redress the river is to fill up the channel that was dug and allow the river to take its old, winding course. But will that really be the best thing to do in the long run? Let's make sure before we "push all that sand back into the river" as Jack said.

I agree. It appears the true outcome of the Kissimmee project will be a compromise that quite likely won't be everything both groups want, but one that will result in benefits for all.

People must realize that meat doesn't come pre-packaged on the grocery shelf and that beans aren't manufactured in a can factory. Both have to be grown and it takes a lot of area to do so.

The gators have much more area all to themselves in South Florida than the whole of Agricultural Area of the Everglades. In fact, the exact figures show the gators have 1,400,523 acres all to themselves in the national park alone.

That doesn't include the Big Cypress, or the three conservation areas. The total land in production in the Everglades Agricultural Area is around 600,000 acres.

It's good that we have land for recreation and other land set aside to remain true wilderness. But it's also good we have agriculture. And city folks have seemingly lost sight of agriculture's benefits.

Things like the Legislative Farm Bureau are very, very good. We need more of them.

Opinion

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CRACKER CRUMBS

BY DEAN JONES

The fix was definitely in. Somewhere along the line no one ever told Bill Mathis about the first being last and the last being first. On the other hand, no one ever told me about the fifth being fifth either. But that's where ole Junior Jones and Fireball Bickel would up in the city's first road rallye Sunday.

Now there were a few people (hee,hee) who were making all kinds of excuses after the rallye was over about why they didn't win. Like Ron Sigmon and Tom Altman and their wives. Said they missed the dead end sign on Dade Road and went eight miles too far.

I didn't even know that. But could do 100 miles an hour? Deborah Altman announced after the whole thing was over and Chief Bill was busy taking notes.

But I knew Tom and Debbie were going to have trouble unless they switched places even before the rallye got underway. Deborah was driving and Hizzoner was navigating. I think they signed up that way because Tom didn't have his driver's license.

That was before he got his first lesson in navigation when Bob "Rallyemaster" Sanders posed the problem of what he'd do if he were told to make a 360 degree turn and Tom said he'd end up going the way he'd come from.

Then there was the one couple who announced loud and clear that if they got lost, on no account was anyone to go looking for them. Matter of fact, I heard they did complete the course by way of West Palm Beach. They didn't seem in much of a hurry.

But like I say, I knew we were gonna have a hard time of it before the thing began. We'd completely forgotten to bring along our white silk scarves to blow in the wind, not to mention the checked sportscaps and my driving gloves.

How the heck you gonna win when you look like a winner? But I still think the fix was in and there was probably a little hanky panky going on at the end too, when the penalty times were being checked and Ken Hamford and Richard Guzman all of a sudden found themselves jumping from fifth to third place and Fireball and I slipped from fourth to fifth.

And that right after Pete Webb used an M-1 pencil to figure his time at exactly one second better than ours. I figure Karen slipped the wheel when the rallyemaster that the next time his house catches fire, all the while Richard was assuring him it was overdue, there could be a little trouble dispatching the fire engines unless someone came up with a mistake on her calculations.

Needless to say, the mistake was made, and I took me for a dummy for figuring our time right the first time around. But that's all right, I ain't making any excuses for not picking up that first place trophy which was ours by right, Rodney.

Not like a certain city clerk I can name who came up with the comment after the times were figured who said my camera helped me, passing the scurrious story I'd passed her doing 70 per in a 35 mile an hour zone to make up lost time and get to the finish line in time to get some pictures.

That's all right though, Junebug. I forgive you. I realize the lust for winning had gotten to you and you just couldn't figure why the number five car should be passing you when you were number four. What really startled me though was passing Frank Kreidler, knowing he was number 15...leastways it did until I found out he'd missed the checkpoints.

But there were more than checkpoints missed on this rallye. Like the rallyemaster's assistant who saw the typographical error where we were supposed to turn left on Hooker Highway and went straight for another seven miles looking for a sign reading "LAND??? ENDS, MERGE LEFT."

How about that for a first lesson on what it's like to work for a newspaper, Bob? Proofread all you want and you're still gonna get errors, aren't you? And don't go blaming Kit for it either. It isn't nice to blame someone else for your mistakes.

You gotta take it like a man. I know, because next time I gonna find me a different navigator and then I won't have to blame losing on Fireball.

A more excellent way

The message pounded home Sunday evening by the Rev. Jessie Jackson on the television program 60 Minutes should be made required viewing for everybody concerned with education in Palm Beach County, starting with the students and going right up to the schools.

Jack Jackson dealt an effective blow to the theory cherished too long by professional educators in too many places of power that Blacks and other minority group students shouldn't be expected to produce much in the classroom.

"If you can run faster and jump higher on an inadequate diet," the fiery civil rights spokesman said, "there's no reason you can't learn to read, write and count better on that same diet."

Some teachers in the Glades have felt that way for years. Unfortunately, they've been in the minority and their demands for excellence by all their students haven't been reinforced by the same demands by other teachers.

As one educator told a group of Glades Central High School faculty members some time back, if you decide a student can't be expected to do much because he comes from a disadvantaged home, and let him know you don't expect much, then follows he probably won't deliver much...whether he can or not.

Granted, it may be tougher to instill a motivation to learn in a child who comes from a home where there are no books, whose parents can't read or write and who don't have the time, energy or drive to instill a desire to learn in their children at home.

But if no one makes those demands, that child never will even find out what a standard of excellence means. And because he never has any demands made on him through 12 years of school, he'll have every reason to believe society is just as lenient and forgiving.

And one of the basic things wrong with America today is that our society is lenient and forgiving...just so long as that grown-up child doesn't make too many demands. Of course there is some reason to question just how much longer our welfare system can survive before it pulls down the entire economy.

And where does that grown-up child turn when he gets tired of surviving on the basics. What happens when the taste of beans grows too boring and he aspires for steak?

That's an easy one. When he finds there isn't much of a market for unskilled labor, all too often the alternative route of robbery comes up, and, as Jackson pointed out, it costs less than \$20,000 to the taxpayers to put a person through four years of college and slightly more than \$52,000 to put that same young person through four years at the state penitentiary.

This country, he pointed out, can live with drugs, with

robbers and with all the other alternatives...but there is a more excellent way.

There is a more excellent way, the way of demanding that students who are capable, all students who are capable, live up to a standard of excellence which will make them competitive in the labor market and in college when they leave high school.

It isn't the easiest way for the student and it probably isn't the easiest way for a teacher harassed by too much red tape (and, as Jackson points out, you don't see anyone trying to put a stop to discipline in the home) but it is a more excellent way.

And it's time we returned to it.

Colonel Joe

Rank may have it privileges but Colonel Joe found that freedom wasn't one of them Sunday.

It was a beautiful escape, a glorious escape and, like most escapes, doomed from the beginning, even when the four-ton, \$35,000 elephant escaped to a wilderness area such as the Lykes Brothers property over near Palmdale.

And in all the days the massive search was underway, there were probably more people rooting for the elephant than for the searchers.

It's amazing how one large animal can fire the imagination of so many people...even to the point of overshadowing another search going on simultaneously for an Okechobee pilot downed in the same general vicinity and who is now presumed dead in the still-unfound remains of his crop duster aircraft.

But on second blush, maybe it isn't so amazing either. After all, liberty, true liberty, is a precious commodity few of us, imprisoned in our daily lives by irons forged by society, will ever know.

No wonder we were pulling for Colonel Joe in his bid for the good life. He breathed life into an abstract theory shared by all of us.

Letter to the Editor

Dear Editor:

As the holidays approach, we want to express our deep appreciation to the press for its invaluable coverage of CARE's work overseas. The media's warm and vocal

support of CARE programs of assistance to the poorest of the poor in Africa, Asia, Latin America and the Middle East over the years has carried the story of CARE to the American people. Their enthusiastic response has provided real help and hope to millions of poor people in developing countries.

Although the needs of the poor are many and the remedies diverse, food is the core of both immediate help and long-range planning. CARE must raise \$6,500,000 in this year's Holiday Food Crusade to provide nourishing food to more than 25,000,000 people, most of them children.

A farmer whose family is hungry today is in no position to learn ways to improve next year's harvest. To feed that family without offering a way out of the cycle of poverty is only half the answer.

Our staff across the country and around the world joins me in sending you and your staff our warmest season's greetings and best wishes for the New Year.

Sincerely,
Frank L. Goffio

A good move

South Bay city commissioners showed uncommon good sense last week when they took a lesson from the Romans and figured the city, as Caesar's wife, should be above suspicion and requested a full-scale investigation of the South Bay Police Department.

The action, coming in the wake of Police Chief Willie Wisper, Jr.'s arrest by the Sheriff's Office, was a suggestion of Mayor Billy Wells, who said he wanted to be sure there were no other problems in the department or, if they were, to be in a position to be able to correct them.

Requesting the state attorney's office to conduct the investigation was also a good idea, since it avoids any reasonable suspicion of a whitewash being conducted.

No matter what the outcome of the Wisper case may be, the commission has done its part by making the request.

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Couple is planning 60th anniversary

PAHOKEE—An open house will be held Saturday, December 10, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Carmen Salvatore Sr., 1331 Bacom Pt. Rd., in honor of their 60th wedding anniversary.

All friends are invited to join the celebration, which will last from 3 p.m. until 7 p.m. The couple request no gifts, please.

Christian Day honor roll is given

Students from Christian Day School listed on the honor roll this week include:

Dean's List

[All A's]

7th Grade: Morgan Lumpkin;
11th Grade: Vicki May, 12th
Grade: Judy Clayton, Tim Atkins.

Honor Roll

[All A's and B's]

7th Grade: Juan Armas, Carol
Ann Austin, Deborah Thompson,
Rolando Ramos, Octavia Garcia,
Brenda Rowland.

8th Grade: Lisa Acree, Maria
Figueiras, Dieder Lynn, Jeff
Smith, Jennifer Stacy, Gina Wil-
liams, Teresa Wiseman.

9th Grade: Grey Archer, Jesus
Armas, Sylvia McCall, Teresa
Rulz.

10th Grade: Mark Revels, Rick
Mathis, Jan Hancock, Nerina
Bermudez.

11th Grade: Michele Conway,
Andy Lewis, Lisa Lewis, Nancy
Phillips.

12th Grade: Roseana Alvarez,
Judi Curtiss, Jaren Jones, Shelly
Shireman, Lisbet Lutz, Greg
Woodham, Rayford Hall, Cindy
Conway.

ELEMENTARY

Honor Roll

[All A's]

1st Grade: Janett Barnwell,
Courtney Corbin, Ronald Davis,
Isabell Fernandez, Toby Flynn,
Susie Gray, Timothy Kelly, Jason
Tucker, Lora Walston, Kim Wil-
liams.

2nd Grade: Caroline Kirby, 3rd
Grade: Stacey Bohannon, Vicki
Shackelford.

4th Grade: Michelle Legg, 5th
Grade: Angella Phillips, 6th
Grade: Ann Hernandez.

All A's and B's

1st Grade: Michelle Laster,
Shane McNeil, Claudio Ramirez,
2nd Grade: Tonya Agnew,
Michael Austin, Bobby Dunaway,
Lanell Griffin, Karen Holt, Renee
Johnson, Joey Miller, Emma Pre-
vatt, Paula Ramirez, Ashley Tul-
los, Cecilia Varona, Lisa Vickers,
Lias Walston.

3rd Grade: Marcy Ashton, Didi
Echols, Reagan McNeil, Randy
Teele.

4th Grade: Tammy Brown, Ma-
cah Corbin, Sherida Echols, Kevin
Williams, Jose Garcia.

5th Grade: Thompson Clifford,
Lynn Hayes, Sarah Nell Lumpkin,
Lisel Tucker.

6th Grade: Kathy Chaney, May-
te Figueiros, Erin Phillips.

Fashion show will be held December 14

BELLE GLADE—Plans are on the way for the annual fashion show put on by The Haze, and this year, for the first time, joined by Kim and Tim's Korner.

The new season brings the fresh-
est fashions you've seen. Sit back
and watch the evening unfold the
best of the best season yet, for
ladies as well as for children.

For the ladies, The Haze is pre-
sented a show with the newest
looks for day and evening. For the
young minded, Kim and Tim's
Korner will provide fashions from
the very casual play and/or school
clothes to the very elegant look in
children's wear for that special oc-
casion.

Tickets for the show are \$5 each
and are available from members of
the St. Philip Benzi Catholic
Church and at The Haze and Kim
and Tim's Korner. "A Fashion
Spree" will take place Wednesday,
Dec. 14, at 8 p.m. at the Civic
Center. Refreshments will be
served and there will be many door
prizes for those present.

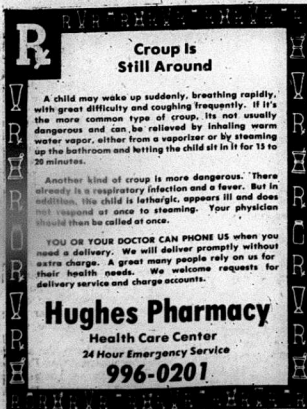


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with great difficulty and coughing frequently. If it's
the more common type of croup, it's not usually
dangerous and can be relieved by inhaling warm
water vapor, either from a vaporizer or by steaming
up the bathroom and letting the child sit in it for 15 to
20 minutes.

Another kind of croup is more dangerous. There
already is a respiratory infection and a fever. But in
addition, the child is lethargic, appears ill and does
not respond at once to steaming. Your physician
should then be called at once.

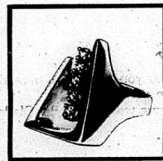
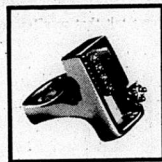
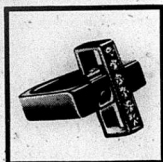
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MIGHTY LAK A FIR, forest that is, is the way the Elks Lodge on Southeast Avenue E is looking these days as the Elks begin their

annual Christmas Tree sale. How many more shopping days is that?

Woman's Caucus is December 17

A meeting of the Lake Okeechobee Women's Political Caucus will be held at Big Cypress Reservation on Saturday, December 17, at 11 a.m.

The organization's purpose is to make women more politically knowledgeable and active and to support as candidates women with feminist outlooks and men sympathetic to the cause.

We cordially invite all women interested in becoming involved with the Caucus to attend the meeting at Big Cypress on Dec. 17. We plan to have a "Caucus

Cookout" so plan to enjoy lunch with us.

Any woman in the area—Belle Glade, Clewiston, Moore Haven, Pahokee, South Bay or farther

away—who would like to attend should contact Glenda Greer, Star Rt., Box 99, Clewiston, Fla. 33440, telephone 813/983-6659, for instructions as to how to get to Big Cypress.

Singleton completes basic

A. A. Melvin S. Singleton has completed basic training at the recruit training center at Orlando, Florida.

Singleton is now home on leave before reporting to Oceana Virginia Beach, Va. He is a former resident of Belle Glade and a

former student of Glades Central. Singleton graduated from Smith Station High School in Smith, Alabama and joined the Navy in July of 1977. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Marvin (Obie) Singleton of Alabama.

Don't forget annual Rotary turkey shoot

BELLE GLADE—Final plans for the Belle Glade Rotary Club's annual turkey shoot have been announced by co-chairman Fritz Stein and Terry Kirchman.

Tickets for the shoot are now on sale from any Rotarian or will be available at the gate during the two-day fund-raising event.

The shoot will be held Friday and Saturday, December 16 and 17, behind Mixson's Florist on Avenue L. Shooting will begin at 5:00 each evening.

Younger children are being asked to come early, as special shoots will be held for them along with the regular shooting from 5:00 until 6:00 Stein said. 410 shells and guns will be there for the children to use.

In each "shoot," there will be ten shooters and a turkey will be won by one of the shooters. The turkeys are "Butterball" brand birds.

Tickets are \$2 each and 12-gauge, ammunition will be furnished to shooters, who will be allowed to use their guns or use guns supplied by the club.

Approximately 150 turkeys are being ordered for the shoot.

At 9:00 p.m. on Saturday of the shoot, a 22 Winchester lever action magnum will be given away by the club. You do not have to be present to win and all turkey shoot tickets will go into the giveaway.

All Rotary club members are being asked to be on hand for the shooting.

Off-road winners told

Hendry County Speedway was the four-wheel drive capital of Florida last weekend as an estimated 500 off-road vehicles kicked up a lot of dirt, dust and mud in the first South Florida Truck-In.

Drivers from all over the state converged on the speedway in a variety of pickups and jeeps featuring large mud grip tires. The off-road vehicles competed in two main events: a 100-yard drag race and an obstacle course which had participants racing over hills, trudging through mud and whirling around sharp turns.

Another scheduled event was the sled-pull. But Clewiston's Nolan Mancil quickly discouraged the challenges of other drivers as his makeshift vehicle with a Chevy Impala body, 383 Plymouth V-8 engine and a 1967 Dodge Power Wagon frame easily out-pulled two trucks. Mancil also won the

experimental model division of the obstacle course run.

"It turned out real well," track owner Mrs. T.H. Mancil said of the two-day event. "Trucks go over real well in this area and we're planning to have more of them."

Mrs. Mancil noted that between 7,000 and 8,000 people were in attendance for the races.

Off-road racing is fairly new to Florida. Organized competitions have only been held in the last five years.

The truck-in was like a large camp-out as families got together to renew friendships, swap stories and show off their four-wheel drive vehicles with their jacked-up suspensions and knob and paddle treads.

Glade council holds meet

BELLE GLADE—The Belle Glade council of Beta Sigma Phi met Nov. 22 at the home of GeeGee Collinsworth for a brief meeting with eleven members present.

Chapter reports emphasized service projects for the year which included gifts to the children's hospital, donations to the Kemp family, aid to the elderly, and various worthy causes for which the bazaar proceeds are used.

Chapters were urged to keep in mind activities for Belle Glade's 50th anniversary celebration in April; and several projects were enthusiastically proposed.

The January meeting will be at Rin Shuts' home.

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FAFF has Christmas meeting

PAHOKEE-The FAFF (Fun after fifty-five) Club met Dec. 6 at 12 noon in the Fellowship Hall of the First Baptist Church of Pahokee

for a covered dish luncheon and program. The hospitality committee composed of Mesdames Ruby Kemp, Lola Ryals, Maud Batchelor,

Adeline Wroten and Mr. Chester Batchelor were in charge of luncheon arrangements. The Christmas motif was evident in brightly colored poinsettia table cloths and napkins. The Rev. Carl Storey gave the invocation.

Mrs. Cleo Douthit, program chairman, presented Mrs. Carol Gonzalez, who introduced the program guests. Miss Lori Hutton sang "The Coventry Carol" accompanied by Mrs. Gonzalez. Mrs. Lillian Hutton sang "O Holy Night" accompanied by Ishmael Gonzalez.

Later Gonzalez led the group in the singing of several Christmas carols and songs. Before the singing of each one, he gave some interesting comments on the origins of the carol and gave some little-known facts concerning some of them. Mrs. Elaine Storey was the accompanist for this portion of the program.

Mrs. Edna Maxson, president, presided at the business meeting. Other guests were Mrs. Marion Hutton and Marion Moon.

Reports were given concerning the Thanksgiving dinners which several groups of member prepared at home and delivered. In spite of the heavy rain which fell, 32 members plus seven guests were in attendance.

Mrs. Maxson dismissed the meeting with prayers. The next meeting will be Jan. 3.



SIX MADE A FIRST Tuesday when the Glades' first jury was chosen and sat at the first jury trial conducted at the Palm Beach County Glades Office Building. Finding a GCI inmate guilty of possession of a

forbidden weapon in their only trial of the docket period were D.C. Barger, Alfred J. Fields, Evelyn Jackson, Fronia Eason, Annette W. Allen and Rudolph Cox. Staff Photo

First jury trial in the Glades

History making trial held

BELLE GLADE-The history-making first jury trial in the Glades, presided over Tuesday by County Judge Don T. Adams came not with a crescendo of fanfare but almost with a yawn of boredom but Adams said he was anything but dissatisfied.

"Everything went smoothly," said Adams, who had worked toward jury trials during his entire five-year tenure on the local bench. "I'd hate to say it was bor-

ing but after the crescendo of publicity leading up to it, the selection of the jury on the first day (of his first jury trial docket period) was anti-climatic."

Adams began the day with a docket of 19 cases, 16 misdemeanors and three felonies, but all but two were settled without a trial, leaving only one defendant who failed to appear and one third degree felony defendant.

The only case to actually appear before the Glades' first jury was that of Melvin Stanley Greene, a 36-year-old Miami native who is an inmate at Glades Correctional Institution who was accused of possession of a weapon, a boning knife concealed in his pants leg.

Before recessing for lunch Monday, Adams dismissed 30 of the 55 members of the venire and during the afternoon, Assistant State's Attorney Bill Bollinger and Assistant Public Defender Frank Kreidler went through 14 members of the venire before agreeing

on a six-person jury.

That historic jury was made up of D.C. Barger, Alfred J. Fields, Evelyn Jackson, Fronia Eason, Annette W. Allen and Rudolph Cox. They were sworn in by Adams Monday afternoon and met with him again Tuesday, sitting from 10:30 a.m. until they were charged at 2:45 p.m. and returning at 3:30 with a guilty verdict.

Adams announced he would pass sentence on Greene on Dec. 6. Greene could receive as much as five more years tacked onto the five year sentence he is already serving for burglary with intent to commit grand larceny and possession of a stolen vehicle.

"Actually," Adams said of the trial, "we had expected to begin with a slate of misdemeanors and work into felonies but this was a good case to begin with. The defendant is from the Glades (GCI), the witnesses are all from the Glades and the jury is from the Glades."

Mrs. Lillian Hutton speaks on Christmas

PAHOKEE-The Xi Beta Tau sorority held their regular business meeting Thursday evening, Dec. 1 at the home of Mrs. Sandy Simonson.

Plans for the December social were completed. It will be held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Don Adams. On the menu will be roast beef and other festive family favorites.

At the invitation request of Mrs. Mary Lee Adams, Mrs. Lillian Hutton was the guest speaker. Mrs. Hutton spoke on the importance of having a good attitude towards the Christmas Holidays, and how, this in turn can affect the attitudes of others around you. Mrs. Sandra Conrady and Mrs. Simonson decorated the house with beautiful Christmas attire for the holidays.

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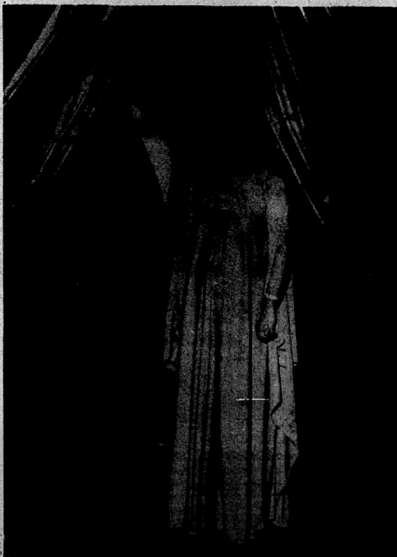
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MR. AND MRS. ARCADIO CAMMAN of Belle Glade will celebrate their Pearl wedding anniversary Sunday with a mass to be given for their 30 years of marriage and their children at St. Philip Benizi Catholic Church.

Kiwanis Club is organized

BELLE GLADE—The Kiwanis Club of the Glades held its organizational meeting Wed. Nov. 30 at the Holiday Inn to elect area officers and appoint club directors. State Kiwanis Lt. Gov. Ben A. Coachman presided over the meeting.

Thomas W. Bonavia was elected president of the club. Jack Hollingsworth was elected first vice-president, Joseph Kardel was elected second vice-president, Gene Challancin, treasurer and Jack Shafer was appointed secretary.

Selected as directors were Melvin Chaney, Leonard Case, Clyde Buckner, Gilberto Alvarez and James Martin.

Official Rep. Wm. A. "Bill" Thacher spoke to the new club members of the objects and functions of the international club and the many services the club could perform in the community.

Past Lt. Gov. Olin Taylor installed the officers and the club members and presented each one of them with a membership pin.

Bonavia, the newly elected president spoke briefly to the members saying that if everyone would pitch in and help we will have one of the best clubs in the Glades.

Among the other members of the newly formed club were Stephen Hodascheck, Arthur Jones, Leo Maxwell, J. Stephen Weeks, Dennis Milliron, Vernon Dexter, Milton Salvatore, John Ollis, and Chester Mullis. To officially form the new club there had to be 20 charter members.

The members officially selected the club name and also voted on their weekly meetings to be held on Wed. at 12:15.

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Garden Club gives tour

PAHOKEE—Members of the Pahokee Garden Club have been unusually active in November. Each Tuesday groups of interested people met at the home of Mrs. Marjorie Hutton to prepare items for the sale on Nov. 29. Other members were usually busy engaged in trying to bring their plants to a peak of perfection before the sale.

The regular monthly business meeting was held on Nov. 15, when members learned much about decorating at Christmas with native plants from Mrs. Gail Sorenson of West Palm Beach.

On Nov. 28 the club was hostess to the District X Garden Clubs on the Guided Tour of Agriculture sponsored by the Lake Okechobee Guided Tours, Inc. Almost 100 Garden Clubbers and guests left Days Inn in South Bay in three buses. Three capable guides made the day interesting, informative, pleasant and most worthwhile. Pahokee Garden Club president, Mrs. Dorothy Williams, made the

arrangements for the tour, greeted the invited guests as they arrived and accompanied the group. Mrs. Tina Elliott, past president of the Garden Club and immediate past director of District X, also greeted the guests. Because of other Garden Club business she was unable to accompany the group. Mrs. Irene Rowe, Mrs. Cleo Douthett and Mrs. Tommie Lee DuBose took the tour.

Pulling radishes, cutting lettuce, watching the harvesting of those vegetables and celery, seeing the fields of cane—some being burned and others being harvested were unusual experiences for everyone. The bulging bags of vegetables harvested by the group were tangible evidence of the bounty of the Glades.

On returning to the Days Inn, the group was divided into two parts with one group eating lunch while the other group watched two films showing planting of cane, harvesting of cane, making sugar and processing fresh vegetables

for the market.

On Nov. 29 the Annual Plant Sale, Bake Sale, Sidewalk Cafe, White Elephant and Christmas Bazaar were held at the Everglades Federal Community Room and Patio.

In spite of the wind and rain which seriously threatened the Sidewalk Cafe operations, the results of the day's undertaking were gratifying. Every Garden Club member participated in several activities of the day and because of the rain, everything except the Sidewalk Cafe was also opened Wednesday.

Now members are looking forward with great expectation to one of the most beautiful and meaningful activities of the whole year, The Open House on Dec. 20 from 7:30 p.m. until 10:00 p.m. at the home of Mrs. Billie Shirley. This event is open to members of the Garden Club and their guests only. Mrs. Eshter Hundely and a committee composed of Mrs. Tina Elliott, Mrs. Martha McIntosh, Mrs. Helen Davis, Mrs. Marjorie Hutton, Mrs. Dorothy Williams and Mrs. Billie Shirley will decorate the house for the occasion.

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CONTEST

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Park. There's a lot of history behind that name," Altman said the Great added there would probably be a lot of opposition from the general populace to changing the name to anything else.

The decision to hold the contest wasn't unanimous by any means. Gear and Commissioner Claude Tindall said they felt the commissioners would be laying themselves open to criticism no matter what name they chose...if they even chose one of the offerings.

Polling the commission, Altman found the vote split, with himself and Harris favoring the contest while Kirk said he didn't care. Altman and Harris persuaded Kirk to side with them when they "guaranteed" his favorite would be among the entries.

Anyone wishing to suggest ideas on what the circular drive, or roadway should be called should submit those ideas, as many as

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CONSTRUCTION BEGAN officially Wednesday morning on the South Bay branch of the Bank of Belle Glade with groundbreaking ceremonies held on the future site at the north end of Royal's Mini Plaza, with shovels being manned by Board Chairman Mutt Thomas, landlord Charles Royal and South Bay Mayor Billy Wells. Also on hand were

Ray Sullivan, Mr. and Mrs. Byron Walker, Wallace Lutz, Larry Royal, Harold Rowland, James Ball, Dennis Milliron and Bank President Wayne Mikell. Mikell said construction should start in a week to ten days and the facility should be in operation by approximately April 1.

Migrants to be counted

Information about farm work done for pay during the past year and about migratory farm work will be collected by the Bureau of the Census in this area. Thomas W. McWhirter, Director of the Bureau's Regional Office in Atlanta, announced that interviewers will visit a sample of households here during the week

of December 12-17.

The farm work questions are in addition to the ones asked regularly in the monthly survey on employment and unemployment conducted by the Bureau for the U.S. Department of Labor. Results of this survey provide data on conditions in the labor force, prime indicators of the

economic health of the country. For example, in October the survey indicated that of the 98.1 million men and women in the civilian labor force, 91.2 million were employed.

Interviewers who will visit households here are: Mrs. Doris Rosenberg, Mrs. Betty Garriga and Mrs. Selma Leavitt.

ALCOHOL

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year away.

"What is needed," he said, "is a temporary facility to house the Alcohol Program until a move to the Sunset Heights facility can be effected."

"It would be a terrible shame," Amos went on, "a waste, to lose those federal dollars. It would be a terrible disservice to the community, to the families of alcoholics and to the alcoholics themselves to lose this service."

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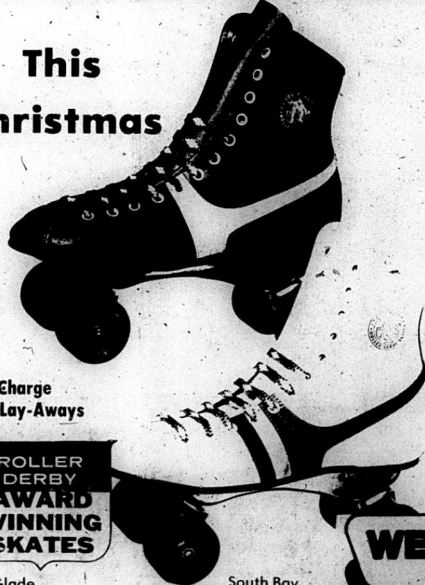
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Panel discusses area air, water

Six state senators and 14 members of the Florida House of Representatives, along with an equal number of reporters from newspapers, radio, and television heard a three-member panel voice opinions on air and water pollution in the lake area Thursday.

The occasion was a Legislative-Agricultural Day/Tour sponsored by the Florida Sugar Cane League and other food producers in the Everglades Agricultural Area.

Events began with a tour of the Sugar Cane Growers Cooperative of Florida Mill in Belle Glade, moved into the mill's newly-constructed office building where the panel discussion and noon lunch were held, and continued during the afternoon with a tour of area housing projects, cattle and vegetable operations, as well as facets of the sugar industry and water management facilities.

Senators attending included Phil Lewis, Alan Trask, Don Childers, Harry Johnston, Tom Tobinsson and Richard Renick.

Representatives on the tour included Tom Gustafson, Dale Patchett, Dale Cassens, Terry O'Malley, Bob McKnight, George Crady, James S. Foster, Reid Moore, Mary Ellen Hawkins, Bob Hattaway, Jim Eckhart, Gene Ready, and Don Hazelton. County Commissioner Bill Bailey was also present.

Art Kirsten, president of the League, gave the welcome and Nelson Fairbanks, general manager, used maps and illustrations to show the amount of land in south Florida devoted to agriculture as opposed to that devoted to recreation.

In all said Fairbanks, the agricultural area, encompasses 707,200 acres, of which approximately 600,000 is presently in production.

Sugar is the largest industry in the area, he told the legislative members, employing approximately 14,000 people during the season with an annual payroll of almost \$150,000,000. The total value of agricultural products produced in

the area is more than a half a billion dollars a year and assessed values are over \$50 billion.

Fairbanks also gave data on the types and varieties of agricultural products grown in the region.

George Wedgworth gave the background of the environmental programs carried out by the League and introduced the panel, which consisted of Tallahassee attorney and moderator Phil Parsons along with Jack Malloy, director of the South Florida Water Management District; Dr. Patrick Brezonik of the University of Florida; and Dr. Axel Hendrickson, who directed a comprehensive program on air quality for the League.

Wedgworth noted that the environmental program first began in 1968, partly as a result of field burning. The environmental committee named included Wedgworth, Kirsten, and John Boy, president of USSC.

In addition to these men, the top technical people of each of the mills and companies throughout the area also sit on the environmental committee.

Wedgworth told of attempts during the seasons in the early 1970's to find adequate scrubbers for mill smokestacks. Three different types were tried and the one finally selected as doing the best possible job was installed. Today, said Wedgworth, all mill stacks comply with state and federal criteria.

He pointed out the window of the four-story office building to the co-op mill and told the legislators the white clouds were merely water vapor, not like the smoke that once was released.

With air pollution research and testing, said Wedgworth, the League was able to accomplish the goals of meeting governmental data. This research, he felt, was vital and necessary before measures were taken.

Wedgworth drew a parallel between the air project and the water project now underway. He summed it up by saying research and testing must be carried out before mea-

sures are taken and warned against premature rules and regulations.

"These studies are essential in making sound legislative regulations on the water quality of Lake Okechobee," he said. As a final point, Wedgworth told the delegation carbon dating studies show Lake Okechobee to have been "eutrophic" 4,000 years ago.

Dr. Brezonik was the first water quality expert to speak. He said water quality is difficult to define and that the term eutrophic deals in nutrient enrichment rather than "dying," when it is used in context with a body of water.

Taylor Creek and Nubbin Slough contribute roughly 60 to 70 percent of the phosphorus to Lake Okechobee, said Dr. Brezonik, while agricultural backpumping contributes only 15 per cent, though it adds 30 per cent of the nitrogen entering the water.

A lot of questions about the lake and its water quality remain unanswered, he said, and the League has given the University of Florida a grant to conduct research and attempt to answer some of these.

"Lake Okechobee is not dying," he summed up. "It's more alive than anything else." The term "eutrophication" deals with the natural filling-in of a lake. What we are talking about is not its filling in, but its productivity."

Jack Malloy of the FCD was the next speaker. He prefaced his remarks by noting that he is an engineer who had to learn about water pollution and eutrophication in self defense. "Since I've learned about eutrophication," he said, "I've done a lot of aging."

He pointed out how the water system managed by the FCD works. Three conservation areas are used to store water during the wet season for use during the dry and the system of canals allows water to be pumped from one place to another, including from the agricultural areas into the lake. The land's gradual fall does not allow much natural drainage.

Malloy said the FCD is just now



MI CASA, SU CASA could have been the point being made by State Rep. Bill James (second from right) during a Legislative Appreciation Day sponsored last Thursday by the Florida Sugar Cane League while a group of legislators from Pensacola to Dade County were being entertained at the Big B Ranch Hacienda. Gathering for the photo-

graphers were Frank Teets of South Bay Growers, Rep. Bob McKnight of Pensacola, the group's hosts, Mr. and Mrs. Alvaro Sanchez, Sen. Harry Johnston of West Palm Beach, Ed Duda of A. Duda and Sons, James and Sen. Phil Lewis of West Palm Beach.

beginning to put the pieces of the puzzle together on water quality. A fourth to a third of the lake's natural nutrients, he said, come from rainwater.

Doug Bournique of the Sugar Cane League was the speaker, filling in for Dr. Ed Shannon whose company has been working on nutrients and water balance. Bournique told the group the study is now being written up and was carried out jointly by the League and the SWMD.

The next speaker was Dr. Axel Hendrickson, who gave an overview of the air quality program and the League's air program.

He said unique problems existed when the industry first embarked on an air quality program. The first of these was that the industry contributed pollutants to the atmosphere only five or six months out of the year during the season.

Today, he said, every operating boiler in the industry is equipped with control devices that meet state standards.

He said the industry solves some of its own pollution problems by burning 2.5 million tons of bagasse each year in its plants. Without this burning, a substantial solid waste problem would result. In addition to that, the industry would require upwards of 100,000 barrels of oil and that would cause a sulfur dioxide problem.

The open field burning of cane results in fewer pests that would otherwise have to be eliminated with pesticide, thereby contributing to another form of pollution. Open burning is carried out in strict accordance with DEQ and Forestry regulations, he noted.

Air quality in the area has improved despite the increased processing and burning, said Dr. Hendrickson, and in general, the air is far below state and federal

standards. Following the discussions, the group was served lunch, then embarked on tours of the Agricultural Area.

Included in what they saw were housing projects built and maintained by Sugar Cane Growers and USSC along with South Bay Growers for migrants as well as agricultural workers, facilities built and maintained by the South Florida Water Management District, the vegetable packing house run by South Bay Growers, a vegetable harvesting by A. Duda and Sons, and cattle operations conducted by the Big B Ranch. Cocktails and a steak cookout at the Big B Ranch that afternoon ended the full day for the legislators and their staffs.

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Pahokee

Doubts are removed as 290-pound fullback rambles

PORT MEADE, FLA.—Pahokee fans weren't really convinced that 290 lb. Ft. Meade senior, full back, Jerry Baker could actually muster up enough speed to put points on the board for the Miners. But Baker erased all doubt as he set into action against the Pahokee High School Blue Devils Friday night, leading his team to the sectional win with a 23-0 outburst over Pahokee.

Mist and fog filling the cool atmosphere, the Blue Devils saw their hope for the Class AA state championship slip away. The Devils beat Ft. Lauderdale Pinecrest the week before to capture the regional championship.

Friday night wasn't the first time the Blue Devils got a glimpse of the Ft. Meade team. The two were matched up for two years previously in the state playoffs, Pahokee losing in 1973 with 3-0 and winning last year 7-6.

"We knew he (Baker) was strong but we didn't think he had that much speed," Pahokee coach Sandy Hyneman said. "We were looking for number 12 (Timmy King) and their pitch man to be their strongest player."

Both teams showed a fierce defense during the first quarter. The Blue Devils held the Miners to four downs in the Devils 16 yard line. But Ft. Meade's defense also showed their strength.

Pahokee's first prime opportunity for a touchdown came when a Miner missed the ball on an attempted punt on their fourth down. So the Devils took over at Ft. Meade's 45 yard line. Two first downs gained by handoffs to Lawrence Williams, preceding a pass to Vince Bush, put the Blue Devils at the Miner 15.

Fullback Frankie Diaz gained three yards on the next play, but a 15 yard penalty for clipping set the ball back, on the next play, to the 29. Losing yardage on the third down, the Blue Devils had to punt on the fourth.

Fort Meade's first touchdown came in a five play, 66 yard drive, included in three of these plays was Baker. He was pulled down by Blue Devil Nathaniel Hannah after nine yard gain, made the first down on the next play and, setting up the touchdown, made the first down of the drive, being brought down at the Pahokee 40. A pass to

Robert Turner put the first seven points on the board with 2:34 left in the second quarter. The kick gave them one more point.

Baker, again, was the instrument used to score Ft. Meade's second touchdown with 8:31 left in the third quarter. The 68 yard drive utilized Baker five out of six plays, gaining 60 of those yards. Pahokee's Danny Seymore blocked

the kick, making the score 13-0.

Third quarter touchdown was scored by Baker with 10:54 showing on the clock. The kick was good adding seven points to the score. Pahokee remained scoreless. The Miners scored their final three points with a field goal, the ball set at the five yard line. That made the final score 23-0 with 2:02 left to play in the game.

Head coach Antoine Russell cited bad depth of the Pahokee team and the movement by Baker as contributing factors to his team's loss. Nevertheless, this Blue Devil team that made it to the sectional playoff is the one that held up heartily through the season even though 24 seniors graduated from last year's state runner-up championship team.

Six named to All-Conference

BELLE GLADE—Six members of the Glades Central High School football team were named this week to the Suncoast West All-Conference team, selected by other coaches in the conference.

The Raider passing combination of David Jones and Ollie Sheppard were joined on the offensive squad by running back David Robinson. Named to the defensive honor squad were nose guard Anthony Jones, cornerback Joe Byrd and linebacker Don Andrews.

Jones started most of the games this year for the Raiders and completed a total of 61 passes of 147 attempts, or 47 percent. The senior quarterback threw three touchdowns passes and ran 45 yards for another one against Martin County. That one run brought his total rushing yardage to 49 yards in eight carries. On the minus side, Jones fumbled the ball six times during the year and was intercepted five times.

The fact that Sheppard was Jones' favorite target during their senior year was evidenced by the fact Sheppard caught 29 passes for a total of 385 yards and four touchdowns as well as one two point conversion pass play. He also ran the ball on the ground three times for 14 yards for an average rush of 4.6 yards. Sheppard was also frequently on the kickoff and punt return teams, returning the ball 42 times for an average return of 5.2 yards.

Robinson was head coach Willie McDonald's bread and butter running back throughout the year, gaining 598 yards in 103 carries, but he was also Jones' second most-sought pass receiver, catch-

ing 12 passes for 178 yards in the air. He also scored five TDs and made one extra point.

On the defensive team, Andrews led the Raiders in tackles, bringing down 75 players during the nine-game season, along with making 38 assists. He also doubled up on offense, catching eight passes for 94 yards and running the ball once for eight yards.

Anthony Jones, before he was injured in the first quarter of the

North Shore game, had amassed a total of 47 tackles and 17 assists as well as recovering two fumbles.

Byrd made 39 tackles and 20 assists as well as recovering three fumbles and making one pass interception.

Coach McDonald explained the players named to the All-Conference team are selected by other coaches, that no coach can nominate one of his own players.

Fishing luck changes when weather clears

After several days of windy weather and slow fishing, Belle Glade anglers reported their luck began to change during the middle of last week and good fishing continued through the weekend.

Bill Watson of Ft. Lauderdale had the best success story of the week when he came in with 5 bass taken on his first 5 cast. Bill insisted that he actually got two of the small ones at the same time on his large Hot Spot.

Belle Glade fisherman Al Proper reported a limit catch with a total weight of 30 pounds taken on blue plastic worms in the area near the #22 marker south of Slim's on Thursday.

On that same day Helen Collins of Columbus, Ind., took a 6 pounder on a Ropala, and Delmar Kirkendall, Kokomo, Ind., took his limit with two going over 7 pounds each. Ray and Joe Brewer of Belle

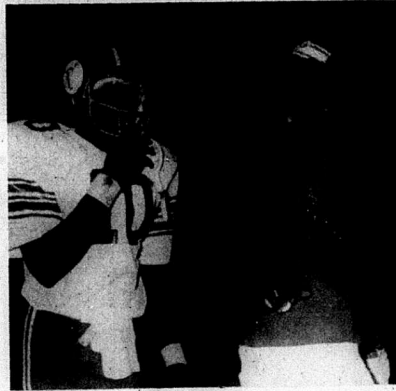
Glade fished together on Thursday to take their limits on plastic worms with their largest going 6 pounds. Joe fished again on Saturday with Lloyd Kelly and again produced a boat limit of 20 bass with their largest going 8 pounds.

Belle Glade fisherman Donnie Herring fished in the Ritta Island area on Saturday to take a nice catch of bass to 6 1/2 pounds each on plastic worms.

Clifford G. Huber of Pompano Beach used live shiners along the bullrush in the Long Point area on Saturday and came in with a nice 6 pounder.

The largest fish reported during the weekend came from Hall Bee of Brentwood, Tenn., who limited out three days in a row including one at 8 pounds, 4 oz. on Friday.

Nan Corbin



PAHOKEE QUARTERBACK Ronnie Osborne (10) confers with head coach Antoine Russell during the sectional playoff against Fort Meade Friday night. Luck didn't go the Devil's way though, losing 20-0 to the Miners. Staff Photo

Martin whips Raiders in basketball opener

BELLE GLADE—The Glades Central Raiders lost their opening basketball game against Martin County in an 82-71 contest which Jay Seider's charges were unable to salvage in an evenly matched second half.

Jessie Haynes dropped the ball through the hoop for 15 points in the last quarter, half his 30-point total for the game, but even his kind of effort was futile following a scoring spree in the second period led by Tigers Moses Johnson, Charles Jones and Richard Phelps.

Haynes led the Raiders in both scoring and rebounds, and only one other player from Glades Central scored in double digit figures. Arthur Slater, a 6'4" junior, scored 10 points.

Other Glades Central scorers were Fufus Chambers with eight, Michael Staples with six, Edgar Arnett with five, Melvin Weston with four and Charles and David Jones with two each.

Seider said the main problem he's had so far this year has been a minimum amount of time for practice. He said players who were also on the school's football team have only had two weeks to get ready for the season and the players are still learning to work as a team.

The Raiders' next game will also be their first home game as they go up against Key West on their home court at 8 p.m. Friday. Next week they play John I. Leonard on Tuesday at home and go to Boca Raton on Friday, Dec. 16.

The Boca game will be their last before entering a holiday tournament Dec. 19-22 at Palm Beach Junior College and the Fort Myers News-Press Holiday Tournament Dec. 26-29.

The Raiders' first game after the tournament will be a specially arranged match with Towson Catholic from Baltimore, Md., on Dec. 30 at home.

Police chief wins road rallye in Belle Glade

BELLE GLADE—When it comes to road rallyes, Police Chief Bill Mathis believes in starting first, ending first and winning first place.

Mathis was the first on hand to register for the Winter Sports Car Rallye sponsored Sunday by the City Recreation Department and had jockeyed his car up to the starting point in the Ben Franklin parking lot an hour and five minutes before he and his wife, Louise were waved on their way at 11 a.m. while the last of the 24 entries were still registering.

Shortly before 1 p.m., Mathis demonstrated his prowess as a navigator (Louise was driving) when he crossed the finish line at the Municipal Country Club parking lot only one minute and 45 seconds after he theoretically should have, beating the second place team of Ed and Tina Rongione by a scant ten seconds of preciseness.

There were a handful of other entries who were fairly close to the times they should have taken

to complete the 80 mile course over city streets, highways and through cane fields but for the rest, there was general hilarity at missed turns and signs and a couple of hundred-mile-an-hour runs to recover lost time.

There was even one car which went seven miles past a turn in a vain search for a sign reading, "LAND ENDS, MERGE LEFT," which led to an appeal by Craig Butters to City Manager Robert Sanders, who was serving as rallyemaster, because of the typographical error in the instructions.

"I don't know how that happened," Sanders quipped later. "We proofread the instructions four times. It's all Kit Tucker's fault."

Reading the results and places of the contestants, Sanders said he would only call out the numbers of the cars, sparing the drivers and navigators who came in with the worst times any embarrassment.

assment, then immediately broke his own rule by announcing Craig and Brunilda Butters as the only team failing to complete the course, dropping out before completing the odometer check.

This was the first rallye sponsored by the city but Sanders was drowned out by calls for another race soon when he asked if there would be enough interest in a repeat performance in the near future.

There was a general feeling that in the next rallye, there would be better times recorded than several of which approached and exceeded a half hour's difference between the time demanded and the time actually driven.

Recreation Coordinator Frank Mayfield, who checked the course laid out by Sanders, said that when the next rallye is held, he may even be able to run the course himself without getting lost as he did on this one.

ALLYING ? ? ? 'ROUND were Sunday's winners of the Winter Sports Car Rallye sponsored by the Belle Glade City Recreation Department. First to start, first to finish, first in line above and winning first

place were Bill and Louise Mathis, along with second place winners Ed and Tina Rongione and third place winners Richard Guzman and Karen Hansford.



Belle Glade Founder's Day plans are firmed up



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BELLE GLADE—Plans for the 50th anniversary of Belle Glade's founding were beginning to be firmed up Friday as members of the Bicentennial Committee met for the fourth time to discuss the April 7-8 celebration.

The committee members decided it would take at least two days to handle all the events decided upon, beginning the evening of Friday, April 7 and continuing all day Saturday, April 8, 1978.

The city was actually founded during a meeting held in a church building on April 9, 1928 but the committee decided early the celebration would be best held on Saturday, especially since members of the Community United

Methodist Church had already laid plans for a 50th Anniversary celebration on Sunday.

Some ideas were dropped during Friday's meeting, others were firmed up and at least one new one was tentatively added.

Plans were confirmed for Mrs. Lynette Thompson to head up the parade to be held Saturday morning and for the Lake Okechobee Bassmasters to sponsor a fishing tournament beginning about two weeks before the celebration.

Plans for a street dance were dropped in favor of holding a teen dance at the Belle Glade Marina, following fireworks to be held the evening of April 8, and a more

formal dance to be sponsored at the same time by the Belle Glade Junior Woman's Club. The fireworks and dances will also follow a fish fry to be sponsored by the Chamber of Commerce at the marina.

Most of the events will take place at the marina that afternoon, including a number of contests and races suggested by City Recreation Coordinator Frank Mayfield.

An added attraction was suggested by Mrs. Ruth Wedgworth

in the form of a parade of decorated boats, besides the city sponsored canoe, rowboat and races.

The celebration is tentatively planned to be "kicked off" the evening of April 8 with a presentation of a skit or skits depicting the history of the city with more tentative plans for a talent show to be up on in conjunction with the skits.

The committee will next meet at noon, Dec. 15 in the city library.

Belle Glade

Recreation Corner

The City Parks and Recreation Department and Municipal Library are co-sponsoring a Christmas Crafts program for children between the ages of 7 and 10 years of age.

The program will be held in the conference room of the library. Classes will be held Dec. 12, 14, 15, 16, 19, 21 and 22. There will be two sessions each night, 4 to 5 p.m. and 5 to 6 p.m. Students are required to attend one session each night. Registration for the Christmas Crafts Program will be 8 a.m. to 12 p.m. and 1 p.m. to 5 p.m. at the Parks and Recreation office Dec. 5 - 12 on weekdays. Registration fee is \$1 per child. A maximum of 20 registrants will be accepted. Phone 996-0191.

Games Center, the Parks and Recreation Department is searching for people who are interested in

forming a games club or program. Anyone interested in baggamon, chess, checkers, bridge, etc., please contact the Recreation Department at 996-0191.

For further information regarding the above activities, please call 996-0191.

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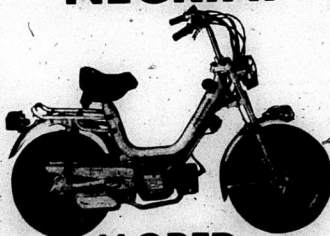
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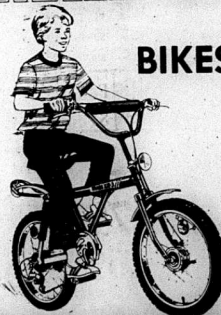
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BELLE GLADE—Miss Yvonne Rhodes, Handicap Coordinator of the Florida Farm Workers Council, Headstart Program, will be the speaker for Community Services Council on Wednesday, Dec. 24 at 12:30 p.m. at the Glades Office Building.

Miss Rhodes will present a film, of her work, and will explain the handicap effort of her agency.

All Community Services Council meetings are open to the public without fee. The once-a-month meetings are for information to the agency workers and citizens of the community who may have need and/or referral for the service.

For further information, call 996-5547, Palm Beach County Social Services, the coordinating agency.

Obituary

LAKE WORTH—Funeral services for Mrs. Edna Faye Greer, a lifetime member of the Chapter 100 of the Order of the Eastern Star in Belle Glade and long time resident of the Glades, were held Nov. 25 at E. Earl Smith and Sons Funeral Home in Lake Worth with the Rev. B. Mack Canup, associate pastor of the Lake Worth First Baptist Church, officiating.

She was a member of the first Baptist Church in Lake Worth.

Survivors include, one son, Charles W. Greer of Lake Worth; a daughter, Virginia Lee Hawkins of Lake Worth; four grandchildren, three great-grandchildren and one sister, Mrs. Ruth Fitzgerald of Lake Worth.

Pallbearers were Robert Mathews, William Harvey, Howard Kerce, Barney Johnson, Don Asberry and Howard Baird. Burial was in Woodlawn Cemetery in West Palm Beach. E. Earl Smith and Sons Funeral Home of Lake Worth was in charge of arrangements.



MORE CRAFTY than Artsy was the annual Christmas Arts and Crafts Bazaar held Saturday by the Community United Methodist Church in Jameson Hall. The two highlights of the affair were obviously the handmade brooms made by the pastor, the Rev. Guldmar "Buck"

Blair with the help of his daughter, Donna, and the demonstration of two spinning wheels, demonstrated by Mrs. Meta Staples of Boynton Beach. Rev. Blair said he collected four or five bundles of broom sage last week when he was on vacation in the Florida pan-

handle, recalling how his mother made brooms years ago. He was kept busy with his task, selling the brooms faster than he could make them, helping the church earn a total of \$1,817 for the day, which will be invested in a maxi-bus to be operated by the church.



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Hospital blood banks are re-accredited

WASHINGTON, D.C.—The American Association of Blood Banks (AABB) announces that the Glades General Hospital of Belle Glade and the Everglades Memorial Hospital of Pahokee have been accredited by the Association for another two-year period.

This certifies that the level of medical, technical and administrative performance within the blood banks meet or exceed the stan-

dards established by the AABB. Richard H. Walker, M.D., president of the AABB, congratulated the governing board and staff and added, "This recognition by the AABB is assurance of your continued interest in providing the highest quality medical care to the donors and patients you serve."

These facilities are two of more than 2,000 blood banks and hospital transfusion services in

the United States which have been accredited through this program.

The purpose of AABB's voluntary inspection and accreditation program includes elevating the standards of practice within the blood bank or transfusion service which assures superior services to blood donors and increased safety in human blood transfusion to patients. Accreditation is based on

the results obtained from a comprehensive physical inspection by one of the AABB's trained inspectors.

Richard H. Walker, M.D., president emphasized that "the patient who receives a blood transfusion provided by a facility accredited by the American Association of Blood Banks can have full confidence that the facility has voluntarily met high standards of pro-

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HELEN VOERGE, a member of St. John's Episcopal Church, was presented a plaque and a building on the church grounds was named after her after she had paid off the

building's mortgage. Ms. Voerge said the Lord told her to pay off the mortgage. With her are Edwin Lively, Father Banks and Ed McGee.

Obituary

LAKE WORTH—Funeral services for Victor W. Ridell, 68, formerly of Belle Glade, of Lake Worth, were held at 1 p.m. Monday here at E. Earl Smith and Son Funeral Home East Chapel, with the Rev. John H. Hoyt, pastor of Greenacres Free Methodist Church officiating.

Ridell came to Palm Beach County 40 years ago from Michigan, with his father, Charles E. Ridell, who laid out Belle Glade. He died Dec. 1 in Doctor's Hospital in Lake Worth.

He was a veteran of World War II, serving in the Pacific Theater of Operations. He was a member of the Everglades Presbyterian Church in Belle Glade.

Survivors include his widow, Jeanne Ridell of Lake Worth; his son, Charles Victor Ridell of Lake Worth; a daughter, Mrs. Jeannette Duisberg of Titusville; a brother, Harold Ridell of Fort Pierce.

He was buried in Pinecrest Cemetery in Lake Worth. E. Earl Smith and Sons Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.

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PAHOKEE—The Choir of the First Baptist Church, Pahokee, will present John Peterson's Christmas Musical, entitled "Joy to the World," at the church Dec. 18, at 7:30 p.m.

The entire community is planning to attend this Christmas musical celebration under the direction of Ismael Gonzalez, the director of music at the church. A nursery will be provided.

During December, Lew Miller, a conference Bible Teacher, and Pastor of the First Baptist Church of Tequesta, will be teaching at 7 p.m. on Wednesdays. Pastor Carl

Storey will be exchanging with him, going to Jupiter. The Ministers of the City will be meeting for special prayer sessions at 6:15 a.m. each Tuesday at the hospital.

The men of the First Baptist Church will be meeting Thursdays at 6 a.m. for Prayer at the Fellowship Hall.

Dr. Elmo Scroggin, Professor of Hebrew and Old Testament at Southeastern Theological Seminary, is scheduled to teach the book of Exodus Jan. 14, at 7 p.m. each evening.

Sunday night, Dec. 11, the

Youth Choir will sing the musical "Thank You Lord" at the Gold Coast Baptist Church in West Palm Beach. The entire congregation will leave at 6 p.m. to go over for the service. Anyone needing a ride, should meet at the church at 6 p.m.

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Profile In Business

BELLE GLADE—Grant Averill is the owner of Averill's Studio and Camera Store located at 241 W. Ave. A in Belle Glade.

Averill and his wife Dot have been residents of Belle Glade since 1949 when they moved here from Iowa.

Mr. and Mrs. Averill have three daughters: Margo Nielsen of Tampa, Jodie Watts and Dolly Averill of Montgomery, Ala.; and three grandchildren, Jennifer, Norwood and Edward.

Averill's Studio and Camera Store is celebrating its fifth year in business, and to thank all of their customers they are giving "The Handle" by Kodak away in a drawing to be held Dec. 23. All



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Photography, besides being his profession, is also one of Averill's hobbies, along with golf and hunting.

Mr. and Mrs. Averill are charter members of St. John's Episcopal Church in Belle Glade and Averill is a member of the Elks Club and a past member of the Rotary Club.

Xi Alpha Mu holds meeting

PAHOKEE—The Xi Alpha Mu Chapter of Beta Sigma Phi met at the home of Mrs. Kathryn Cunningham December 1 with President Cunningham presiding. After the business meeting an informative program was presented by Mrs. Elsie Sims and Mrs. Gethie Friend. Refreshments were provided by Mrs. Cunningham and Irene-Bowe. Plans were finalized for the chapter to go to Muscogean on Dec. 15.

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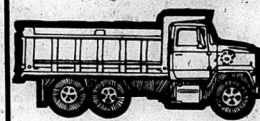
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Church of God Christmas film is scheduled

BELLE GLADE—"Glory in the Highest," the first new Biblical color film of the Christmas Story in over ten years, will be shown at the 7 p.m. service Sunday at the Church of God at 301 S.E. Ave. E in Belle Glade according to the pastor, Roy C. Miller.

Rev. Miller said the life-action portrayal of the Christmas story in full Biblical costumes and settings has been especially created to make the events of the first Christmas more realistic and memorable.

The film is open to the public.

Invitation extended to citizens

The Little White Church in the Glades, would like to invite you to its Special Christmas Eve Candlelight service at 7:00 p.m. Dec. 24, and still another special service on Christmas Day. Come and help us celebrate Christ's Birthday and prepare your hearts for his Coming.

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3. Cordiality and friendliness.
4. Tact.
5. Optimism, enthusiasm, and courage.
6. Vitality.
7. Thoroughness, artistry, earnestness.
8. Kindness, courtesy, consideration.
9. Poise, patience, tolerance, self-control.
10. Sense of humor.
11. Regularity and promptness.
12. Originality and initiative.
13. A spirit of co-operation.
14. Self-confidence and God-reliance.

Does the following poem exemplify your Christian personality? My life shall touch a dozen lives before this day is done, leave countless marks for good or ill ere sets the evening sun; This is the wish I always wish, the prayer I always pray: "Lord, may my life help other lives it touches by the way."

God Bless you,
Bill

Pointing the way

The Church is God's appointed agency in this world for spreading the knowledge of His love for man and of His demand for man to respond to that love by loving his neighbor. Without this grounding in the love of God, no government or society or way of life will long persevere and the freedoms which we hold so dear will inevitably perish. Therefore, even from a selfish point of view, one should support the Church for the sake of the welfare of himself and his family. Beyond that, however, every person should uphold and participate in the Church because it tells the truth about man's life, death and destiny; the truth which alone will set him free to live as a child of God.

Early churches used steeples to make the building higher than all others in the city. People could see God's House from any direction, and could easily find their way to a place of worship.

Today, with many office buildings towering into the sky, churches are not always the tallest buildings. However, churches still point the way to God, and provide a place of worship.

J. Coleman Adair, Sr.



Methodists give report on activities and events

The Wesleyan Service Guild of the Community United Methodist Church in Belle Glade met for their monthly meeting Monday evening, Nov. 21 at the church parlor.

Mrs. Arvie Mathis, Guild president, called the meeting to order. A "love offering" was taken to be sent to the Methodist Children's Home at Enterprise.

Refreshments were served the members by Mrs. Lorene Phillips and Mrs. Clara Besdole.

The Community United Methodist Church of Belle Glade will present the "Living Nativity" Dec. 22 and 23. The presentation will begin at 7 and continue until 9 p.m.

The Living Nativity will be presented three times each evening.

on the north lawn of the church. The scenes will include the Annunciation, the Shepherds, the Angels and the Nativity scene.

Coordinators for this event are Mrs. Mary Alma Stevenson and Mrs. Jayne Boynton. Costumes are by Mrs. Jane Evans and Mrs. Janice Harris. Casting Mrs. Dolly Han Lighting is provided by Bill Burr. Properties are by Mr. Kate Trammel and Mrs. Anna Mae Chapman. The scenery is supplied by Danny and Herbie Priest. Publicity is Mrs. Lois Hollingsworth. Mrs. Carol Richmond, Mrs. Ann McMillan and Miss Jane Priest will be in charge of makeup.

This live performance will provide an enrichment for this most beautiful season of the year, the Birthday of Jesus. The public is invited to come and view this presentation, the true meaning of Christmas.

The Chancel Choir of the Community United Methodist Church of Belle Glade will present a cantata entitled, "A Christmas Candlelight Festival." Included in this presentation will be the annual candlelighting service, "The Service of Light."

Soloists for the cantata are Mrs. Rachel Hollingsworth, Milton Carpenter and Lee Cranford. The mens trio will be Kenneth Lutz, Rick Carter and Milton Carpenter.

The combination cantata and candlelighting service is to begin at 7:30 p.m. and will provide a most meaningful worship experience.

Christian Day elementary sets program

The Christian Day Elementary School will present a Christmas Program entitled "A Child's View of Christmas." The public is invited to attend this program Dec. 12 at 7:30 p.m. in the school gymnasium. Open House will follow after the program.

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HOUSES, Trailers and lots for sale and for rent. 996-2752 bgh 12-15p

FOR SALE by owner: Very nice CBS home, 4 bdrm 2 b, kitchen, dining room, living room, cent. A/H, carport and garage. Fence & extra lot in rear. Also 3 bdrm frame house. By appt. 996-3038 after 4:30 bgh tlc

LARGE WAREHOUSE: 2 story, rent, sale or lease three offices, loading dock. NW Ave. L. FEC Railroad, Kaiser Aluminum and Chemical, 813-247-3664, all night. 305-965-2400. bgh tlc

FOR SALE by owner: CBS home, 3 bdrm 1 b, carport window, air cond. Ceiling electrical heat, fenced in backyard. 535 S. Barfield, Pahokee. 924-5362 bgh tlc

FOR SALE: 3 bdrm 1 b home, lg. fam. rm, cent. air, fenced yard. Call 996-6443 after 5 p.m. bgh 12-15p

FOR RENT: desirable trailer space. Mohr's Trailer Park. bgh tlc

FOR RENT: 1 bdrm apt. Stove, refrigerator and reverse cycle AC. Reference required. 996-8048. bgh tlc

Mobiles Homes

VAN DYKE 12x58 trailer set on a 150x100 lot on a dead-end street. Good location. 2 bdrm 2 b, stove, refrigerator. Completely furnished. Utility and wash house. Weekdays after 5 p.m. weekends 9 a.m. to 9 p.m. Call 996-8706. bgh 12-22p

FOR SALE: 1977 mobile home, 12 x60 with central air. \$700 down and take over contract. Must sell! 1138 NE 28th St. Arrowhead Trailer Park. Call 996-1493 bgh 12-15p

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132 S. Main St. 996-6182 or 6830

SEEKING A BUYER WHEN IT COMES TO THIS QUALITY HOME: Neat, clean and attractive is this split 3 BR., 2 Bath, CBS with family room and central air and heat.

A TRULY ONE-OF-A-KIND HOME, THE UNIQUENESS OF THIS MAGNIFICENT Three bedrooms two baths Custom built home with family room, central air, double garage on a beautiful tree shaded 2 acres.

13 1/2 acres with road frontage. Excellent for small farming operation, homestead, or nursery.

16 1/2 acres fronting on a highway. Excellent for small farming or homestead \$33,000

Neat as a pin, 3 bedroom, 2 bath with carport. \$35,000

4 bedroom, 1 bath home in Pahokee area. Being offered in an "as is" condition, but still an excellent buy at below \$14,000

Several homes at Indiantown

THE COUNTRY RANCH: Beautiful home nestled under Cabogga Palms and Oaks. New three bedroom 2 bath Custom built with formal Dining Room, Extra nice kitchen and beautiful family room with a romantic fire place to spend your evening. This home is a real exceptional home with all the extras including Central Air & Heat and 3 Acres lot with pasture. \$42,500

Excellent neighborhood and excellent family room. 3 BR., 2 bath, CBS, central air, family room and fully carpeted. \$38,000

Pahokee - Nice neighborhood and neat 3 BR., CBS home and priced at only \$32,000

Residential lot on South West, 10th Street \$8,500

Walk in, hang your hat, and start living in this very nice two bedroom, two bath, custom built CBS home with Florida room and completely furnished \$43,500

Nice three Bedroom-Sturdy built frame home in convenient location separate garage & storage. \$25,200

Excellent buy in this well cared for two bedroom, one bath, new kitchen, chain link fence and convenient to town. Reduced \$23,500

COMMERCIAL vacant property fronting Rardin Ave. 240 x296' or will divide. \$200 a front foot. This is an excellent buy.

Commercial Building in Belle-Glade excellent location and building has real good rental income. For complete details-please call in.

SEVERAL LARGE FARMS - Home Site with room to spare over. 1 1/2 acres off Tabit Road \$25,000

LOT ZONED for 12 - to 16 units \$12,000

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New lower downpayment requirements are now in effect for FHA. If cash has been your problem, wait no longer! New limit is now \$60,000 on single family sales with additional amounts for up to four unit apartments. Example: \$35,000 sale... approximate total cash to close including down payment and closing costs... \$1,875.00
Act Now! Housing will never be cheaper! VA financing, too!

3 bedroom 1 bath CBS with central air and full carpeting. Extra 55 foot lot as well as several fruit trees and an quiet dead end street. \$42,400

2 acres on SR 715 suitable for business or residence - Call for details \$38,500

Small CBS warehouse with 8-2 zoning. Under lease to expire in 1978. Buy now for release or conversion \$38,500

Investment property-11 year old CBS duplex on S.W. 7th St. 4 bedroom 2 bath small frame house also included \$36,000

Older 3 bedroom, 1 bath CBS recent exterior paint job and new windows. Not fancy, but sound and on a nice lot. \$32,900

Charming! Yes! 1 and 2 mobile makes this 3 bedroom 1 bath CBS in top location a fine choice. Central air, carpet appliances, patio-Please call for information. \$44,000

Beautiful 4 BR., 2 CBS home in Pahokee. Custom draperies, large carpet, new wall paper and more. Please call in for information. \$45,500

2 bedroom, 1 bath CBS on 100x136 lot. Easy walk to shopping. The price is only \$37,000

CBS 3 bedroom 2 bath on 100x139 lot. Large family room, central air and heat, and fenced back yard \$46,000

12x60 mobile home on its own lot. 3 BR., 2 B. double covered, patio, 3 air conditioners, and chain link fence. \$18,000

Neat clean 3 bedroom, 2 bath CBS with extra lot zoned business. Good location for residence-business combination. Give us a call for details.

2 nice K-1 building lots in favorable location. Please call in for details. \$18,000

Pahokee-Vacant commercial building on East Main St. Suitable for various uses. CBS construction and deep lot. Please call in for details.

Several luxury homes in \$50,000 plus range with all the extras. One with acreage. Call in for information.

Good location and fully carpeted plush interior are top features of this nice 3 bedroom 2 bath CBS. Large family room and central air, of course. \$44,000

Call for information on this 3 BR., 2 B. with C. A/H - screened patio, large 100x139 lot and large kitchen. \$44,000

Super clean 2 BR., 1 B CBS home. Lots of storage closets. Large laundry room. 85x141.95 ft. lot. Call us \$33,000

Services

CARPET installation and repair work. Call for appointment. 996-2918 bgh tlc

BE GLAD to pick up junk cars and pay for them. 996-2752. bgh 12-15p

PRESSURE CLEANING: Mobile homes, houses, buildings. Reasonable rates. 996-0699 or 996-9323 bgh tlc

Business Opportunity

EARTHWORM hatcheries needed. Write or call Countryside 322-1428 or R2 Box 355-S3 Sarasota, FL 33582 bgh 12-15p

FOR SALE: Existing breakfast and lunch restaurant in Choctawhatchee. Possibilities for expansion - pizzas, etc. Hot location. Minimal down payment and terms available. Call 996-9176 or 924-7018 bgh 12-8p

Miscellaneous For Sale

HAMMOND ORGAN for sale: Perfect Christmas gift for church or home. It has many extra features. \$600 or best offer. Call 924-2541. bgh tlc

FOR SALE: H.D. tandem axle. 8x16 steel trailer; B275 Int. diesel tractor; 23' catfish boat trailer and 80 hp motor; 16 ft. fiberglass boat and trailer. Call 996-5508 or write R.O. Plank, P.O. Box 115, Lake Harbor. bgh 12-8p

SANTA MAKES IT A Red Christmas: Gowns-Pajamas-Dresses-Shirts. Use Master Charge, Lay-Away or Visa. Daddy Dick's - Your Children's Shop. 117 SW Third St. bgh 12-8p

FOR SALE: 1973 Highlander 25 ft 5th wheel camper, very good condition. Air & heat. Phone 996-8485 bgh 12-8p

FOR SALE: Steel pipe 16" 18" 20" diameter. 1/2 price of culvert. Phone 996-5850 bgh tlc

FOR SALE: 18' Wellcraft bow rider in beautiful condition with 1974 85 hp Mercury outboard with power tilt. Must see to believe. Asking \$1,500. Call 813-983-9148, ask for Sherri bgh tlc

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NW Section. 2 story, 4 bedroom, lots of extra room below replacement cost. Ideal for large family on quiet street \$42,500

2 bedroom house on 1st St. large lot. \$40,000

New listing. SE section near Canal St. South. Frame, good condition. \$25,500 will move fast at this low price. Call for appointment

Indian Mound Section. Large custom built home deep lot. Every extra in house 3 car garage, central air. This is the home for the family that demands every luxury.

We have many more listings plus acres and farms. Call in for information. Also, we have buyers for your property so if you want to sell, call us.

Several trailers with lots. Why pay rent?

Property on North Canal St. West. Could be made into office building. Best construction. plenty of parking. Best investment for long term income. Way below price in less desirable locations. Call the office.

4 bedroom, 2 bath, CBS corner lot. New paint inside and out. Yard filled in. \$37,900

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BOAT FOR SALE: 16' converted Bowrider with electric trolling motor, 996-8787, ask for Jim, 996-2901 nights. \$700 bgh tlc

FOR SALE: CB Mobile radio complete with bumper mount, coax, 102" Shaker whip, also SWR meter. Call 924-2861 bgh 12-8p

FOR SALE: Drum set - Leedy and cymbals. Ziglian. \$100. Phone 996-2762 before 4 p.m. bgh 12-15p

USED ICE machine for sale: Scotsman 500 lb. cuber and a starrett double-door ice merchandiser. Perfect working order. Call 996-7478. bgh 12-8p

ANIMALS, birds, reptiles bought and sold. For sale: Pigeons, doves, pheasants, bantams, peafowl, parrots, coon, skunk, monkeys, turtles, snakes, hundreds of others. Thompson Zoo, Clewiston. 813-983-7172. bgh 12-7p

FOR SALE: Truck parts. 996-2752. bgh 12-15p

FOR SALE: 1975 Vulcan Lowboy trailer. 25 ton capacity. Phone 996-5422 bgh tlc

CBERS LOOK: Varmint XL 40 Linear 85 ft. Roll-up lower. Moonraker, 4 antennas, Ham II Rotor with controls, 230 ft. of coax. Real Buy! Call 996-8706. bgh 12-8p

AIRBOAT: 12'x6" all aluminum, fully enclosed hull with willow garage. Double hull expozed. \$200. 996-8706 bgh 12-8p

Lost/Found

REWARD for two lost Pekingese. Male - white and tan; "Toyland", female - black and brown, "Mittie". Call 996-9843 bgh 12-8p

LOST OR STOLEN: 2-month-old German Shepherd puppy, black & beige. Missing since Thanksgiving morning in vicinity of 1340 N. Main St. Apt. 1 by airport. Call 996-4239. Reward. Answer to the name of Spook bgh 12-8p

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Help Wanted

TELEPHONE Attendant/Receptionist: New position in City Hall complex for operation of central phone system. Responsible person, good with public, some typing required. Apply to Personnel Department, City Hall Annex, 110 SW Avenue E, Belle Glade, bgh 12-35c

HELP WANTED: Experienced meat cutters wanted at U-Save Call Quincy at 996-6923. bgh 12c

HELP WANTED: Security guard. Prefer person with previous experience in law enforcement. Apply in person only. Days Inn, South Bay. bgh 12-35c

WILL DEAL: Dodge Van, complete customizing. Convertible-camping style. Can be seen in East Lake Village bgh 12-35c

WANTED: Work-Activity Aide. Must have some experience working with the handicapped and high school diploma. Contact Ruth Howard 996-9094 bgh 12c

HELP WANTED: We are now taking applications for experienced waitresses. Apply in person. Only experienced persons need apply. Days Inn, U.S. 27, South Bay. bgh 12c

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WANTED: Evaluator-counselor. Must have Master's Degree in vocational evaluation, vocational rehabilitation, or a closely related field or an undergraduate degree in psychology or related field. One year experience in rehabilitation or related work. Ruth Howard, Mo-Fri, 8-4:00. 996-9094 bgh 12c



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PRE-SCHOOL instructor needed. Must have experience working with young children, work requires high school diploma, direct teaching and lesson planning ability. Call 996-3635 bgh 12-35c

WANTED: Guards, guardettes and night watchmen. Must have transportation. Send reply to Guards, PO Box 760, Belle Glade, FL 33430 bgh 12c

HELP WANTED: Sales clerk full-time. Wanted in person. Herick's Pharmacy, Pahokee bgh 12-35c

TRAINEES for positions of manager, asst. manager, cashiers for Timesaver Food Stores in Canal Point and Pahokee. Applications available at Timesaver in Pahokee. eo 12-35c

HELP WANTED delivering Palm Beach Post. Must have own transportation. Call 996-6731. bgh 12-35c

TEXAS REFINERY Corp. offers Plenty of Money plus cash bonuses, fringe benefits to mature individuals in Glades area. Regardless of experience, write A.T. Pate, Pres., Texas Refinery Corp., Box 711, Fort Worth Texas 76101 bgh 12-15p

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For AUTO INSURANCE call:
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Belle Glade
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Cars/Trucks For Sale

FOR SALE: 77 Dodge Van. Customized by Zimmer. Loaded, low mileage. Call 996-7479. bgh 12-35c

FOR SALE: Honda 350-4 motorcycle. \$600. Call 996-2041 before 5 p.m. bgh 12-35p

FOR SALE: 1/4 ton pickups, 73 GMCs and 74 Chevys \$500 below market. Call 996-2043 Allied Helicopters, South Bay. bgh 12-35c

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Public Notice

FOR THIS DAY forward, I, William Collins Duke, will not be responsible for any debts incurred by anyone other than myself. eo 12-3p

LEGAL NOTICE
INVITATION TO BID
The Housing Authority of the City of Belle Glade will receive bids until 5:00 p.m., December 16, 1977, for the sale of approximately 25,000 cu. yds. of much located at Okeechobee Center, Northeast Corner. The bids are subject to specifications obtained at the Housing Authority Office, Okeechobee Center.

HOUSING AUTHORITY OF THE CITY OF BELLE GLADE
BGH 77-216
Dec. 1, 8, 15, 1977

LEGAL NOTICE
INVITATION TO BID
SEALED BIDS for the furnishing of five (5) med. size police package equipped vehicles will be received by the City of Belle Glade, Palm Beach County, Florida, at the office of the City Manager until 11:00 a.m. Thursday, December 15, 1977, at which time all bids will be publicly opened and read.

HOUSING AUTHORITY OF THE CITY OF BELLE GLADE
BGH 77-217
Dec. 1, 8, 15, 1977

to reject any and all bids, to waive informalities, and to accept any bid or combination of bids which in its sole and absolute judgement will best serve the public interest.

CITY OF BELLE GLADE
JUNE H. BOGLOU
City Clerk
BGH 77-215
Dec. 1, 8, 15, 1977

LEGAL NOTICE
Notice is hereby given that the Board of Supervisors of the South Florida Conservancy District will accept sealed bids for the sale of approximately 15,000 cubic yards of surplus rock removed from the District's Canal. This material is located along the west bank of Canal #1 in Sections 11 and 12, Township 44 South, Range 38 East. All bids shall be based on the purchase of material as is, where is.

BOARD OF SUPERVISORS SOUTH FLORIDA CONSERVANCY DISTRICT
By: CLARENCE W. KNECHT
Chairman
BGH 77-217
Dec. 1, 8, 1977

NOTICE
The City of South Bay is now accepting Sealed bids for the sale of Real property described as Lot 1 & North 1/4 of Lot 2 Block H Town of South Bay and 1/4 of that part lying North of State Road 80 Block C, 27 acres. The City will accept only those bids \$69,000.00 or above. Bids will be accepted in the office of the City Clerk at 210 Palm Beach Road until December 20, 1977 at 8:00 p.m.

VIRGINIA K. WALKER
City Clerk
BGH 77-219
Dec. 1, 8, 1977

LEGAL NOTICE
Notice is hereby given that Public Hearings will be held before the Planning and Zoning Board on Thursday, December 1, 1977 at 8:00 p.m. in the City Hall, 33 West Avenue A, and before the City Commission on Tuesday, December 27, 1977, at 8:00 p.m. in the City Hall, 33 West Avenue A, Belle Glade, Florida, relative to a request for annexation and zoning of R-2, Residential on the following described property:

Lots 4 and 5, Block E, Elliot's Subdivision of Government Lot 1, Section 36, Township 43 South, Range 38 East, according to the plat thereof on file in the Office of the Clerk of the Circuit Court is and for Palm Beach County, Florida recorded in Plat Book 15, Page 43.

(E. J. Miller property located at 1700-

(1708 Palm Street). All persons owning or interested in this area are invited to appear and express their opinions. **CITY OF BELLE GLADE PLANNING AND ZONING BOARD** **CITY OF BELLE GLADE CITY COMMISSION** JUNE H. BOGLOU City Clerk

BGH 77-211
Nov. 24, Dec. 1, 8, 15, 1977

NOTICE OF SALE
TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:
You are hereby notified that the following motor vehicle: 1970 Star Mobile Home, 12x60, Serial#10928, 2 bedrooms, 2 baths, 3 Ton A/C, will be sold at public sale at 1:00 o'clock p.m. on the 15th day of December, 1977, at 1716 N.E. Ave. J, Belle Glade, Fla. 33440. The proceeds of the sale will be applied first to the payment of the costs of realising, storing and sale of said motor vehicle and then to the satisfaction of the balance due under the contract with James L. & Wilma B. Harlow 1716 N.E. Ave. J, Belle Glade, Fla. 33440 covering the financing of said motor vehicle. Any surplus will be paid to you and you will remain liable for any balance remaining unpaid under said contract.

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BGH 77-220
Dec. 8, 1977

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Three Minute
Popcorn 2 lb. bag **69¢**

Shurfine 25 ft. rolls
Aluminum Foil **3/\$1.00**
Kleenex 200 ct. box
Facial Tissues . **59¢**
S.T.P. Super Blend
Motor Oil **89¢**
Glades 7 oz. can
Air Freshener . **49¢**
Northern 4 roll pkg.
Toilet Tissue **79¢**

FROZEN FOODS
Birdseye 10 oz. pkg.
Green Peas **3/\$1.00**
Sara Lee Home 9 1/2 oz. box
Pound Cake **79¢**
Birdseye Quick Thaw 10 oz. pkg.
Strawberries **49¢**
Pet Ritz 20 oz. pkg.
Pumpkin Pie **49¢**

U.S. Choice Heavy Western
Steaks
T-Bone **\$1.69** lb.
Sirloin **\$1.59** lb.



Shurfine
Vegetable Oil
38 oz. btl. **99¢**
Limit 1 with 7.00 order
or more
excluding cigarettes
Hudson Jumbo roll
Paper Towels **39¢**
Limit 3 rolls

SPECIAL! **Pepsi Cola**
8 16 oz. btl. ctn. **99¢**

Del Monte Cut 16 oz. cans
Green Beans ... **3/\$1.00**
Martha White Long Grain 5 lb. bag
Long Grain Rice ... **\$1.19**
Stokely 16 oz. cans
Sliced Beets **4/\$1.00**
Campbell's Chunky 19 oz. can
Veg. Beef Soup **69¢**
Argo 29 oz. can
Sliced Peaches **49¢**